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Applicant : William J. Beyda

Art Unit : 2143

Serial No. : 09/668,039

Examiner : Jaroenchonwanit, B.

Filed : September 21, 2000

Title : PROCESSING ELECTRONIC MESSAGES

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Sir:

1. Applicant hereby requests continued examination, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.114, for the above identified application.

TIME REQUEST IS BEING MADE

2. This request is being submitted:
- i. ☒ **Prior to abandonment of the application**
 - ii. ☐ With payment of the issue fee
 - ☐ Prior to payment of issue fee
 - ☐ Issue fee has been paid but a petition under §1.313 has been granted
 - iii. ☐ Prior to a decision on appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals & Interferences
 - ☐ A notice is being separately sent to the Board of Patent Appeals & Interferences that this Request for Continued Examination is being filed.

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3. Enclosed herewith is/are:

- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for ____ month(s).
☐ Please enter the Amendment filed _____.
☒ **Please enter the enclosed Preliminary Amendment.**
☐ An Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. §1.98) with PTO-1449
 and ____ references.
☐ New arguments
☐ New evidence in support of patentability
☐ Other:

FEE FOR REQUEST (37 C.F.R. §1.17(e))

4. ☒ Filing fee has been calculated as shown below after entering the previous amendment (other than small entity):

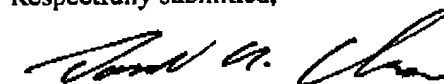
For	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	x Rate	Additional Fees
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Indep. Claim	3	-3	=0	x \$200	\$ 0.00
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				Basic Filing Fee	\$ 790.00
				Total	\$ 790.00

5. ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2179 in the amount of \$790.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2179 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.25. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,



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